Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 24 Aug 2024 until 23:59 on Sunday 25 Aug 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 24 Aug 2024 at 01:06

Confidence: High for cool, showery type at first, but low for shower detail. Uncertainty of ingress of warmer and then in turn wetter period towards the middle of the next week.

Headline for Saturday 24 Aug 2024: Showery, bright and breezy.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 24 Aug 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Low Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Light rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability					
40%	40%	20%	20%	30%	30%

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Weather: A mixture of sunny spells and showers, with some heavy and perhaps thundery with a risk of hail. This risk should lessen after lunch, with a drier and brighter interlude expected around mid-afternoon, ahead of further lighter and more isolated showers moving through to end the day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% improving to 80% by late morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud down to 500-600 metres at first, gradually lifting and breaking during the morning. Cloud then remaining mostly above the summits but with some patches on higher summits in any heavier showers. Generally very good visibility of surrounding views, but poor or very poor in showers or low cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	21/25 SW	18/24 W	19/26 W	19/26 W	22/29 W	23/30 W	23/30 W
600	13/16 SW	14/19 W	15/22 W	15/21 W	15/22 W	15/21 W	14/21 W
300	6/13 S	10/16 W	12/20 W	11/19 W	11/20 W	9/19 W	9/19 W
Valley	6/13 S	10/17 W	13/21 W	11/19 W	12/21 W	10/20 W	10/21 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	7/3	7/2	7/3	7/3	7/2	6/1	5/0
600	9/6	9/6	9/6	10/7	10/6	8/5	8/5
300	12/10	12/10	12/10	13/11	12/10	11/9	10/8
Valley	13/12	14/12	14/11	14/12	14/12	12/10	12/10
Freezing Level*	1900m	1700m	1600m	1600m	1700m	1700m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Although sunny spells will allow moderate or perhaps high UV levels, note that it will feel cold on higher slopes in the wind.

Forecast for Sunday 25 Aug 2024

Weather: Mainly fine with isolated showers during the early hours. Becoming more generally cloudy into daybreak, with a period of rain expected, occasionally heavy over west-facing ground in particular. Rain becoming lighter and more intermittent later in the day, but remaining windy with gales in exposure.

Maximum wind: Increasing Southwesterly 40-45 mph, gusting 55-60 mph for the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80% becoming 40% by mid-morning

Low Cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud lowering to 500-700m as rain arrives during the day, bringing periods of very poor visibility. Conditions improving in drier intervals, with good visibility, but cloud still temporarily covering the summits.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7 becoming 17 degrees Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 8 degrees Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above the summits.

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